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PUBLIC NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE

Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board

Yuma Regional Partnership Council

Pursuant to A.R.S. §8-1194(A) and A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the First Things First - Arizona Early Childhood Development & Health Board, the Yuma Regional Partnership Council, and to the general public that the Yuma Regional Partnership Council will hold a Regular Meeting open to the public on Thursday, July 18, 2013, at 4:30 pm at the Somerton Public Safety Building, 445 E. Main Street, Somerton, Arizona 85350. Some members of the Regional Partnership Council may elect to attend telephonically.

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A) (1), A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A) (2) and A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A) (3), the Regional Partnership Council may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, to discuss personnel items, records exempt from public inspection and/or to obtain legal advice regarding any item on this agenda.

The Regional Partnership Council may hear items on the agenda out of order. The Regional Partnership Council may discuss, consider, or take action regarding any item on the agenda.

The Regional Partnership Council may elect to solicit public comment on certain agenda items.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

1. Call to Order/Welcome/Introductions

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

2. Declarations of Conflict of Interest

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair Members will address potential conflicts of interest regarding items on this agenda.

3. Consent Agenda

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

All items on the agenda that are in italics, underlined, and marked with an asterisk (*) are consent matters and will be considered by a single motion with no discussion. All other items will be considered individually. Any matter on the consent agenda will be removed from the consent agenda and discussed upon the request of any Council member. A. *Minutes of June 20, 2013 Yuma Regional Partnership Council Regular Meeting (Attachment 1)

4. Update, Discussion and Possible Action on School Readiness Benchmarks (Attachment 2)

Amy Kemp, Evaluation Consultant Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director

5. Update and Discussion on Strategic Planning on Engaging **Business Community**

Kelly McCullough, General Manager Eight, Arizona PBS-Educational Outreach

6. Discussion and Possible Action on Community Outreach Plan **Workgroup Recommendations** (Attachment 3)

Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director Nena Garcia, Community Outreach Coordinator

7. Regional Director's Report

(Attachment 4)

- A. System Building
- B. Grantee Update

8. Call to the Public

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director

This is the time for the public to comment. Members of the Council may not discuss or take legal action regarding matters that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.01(H), action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date. Public comments relative to a specific agenda item may be heard during the discussion of that item.

9. Announcements

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

10. Next Meeting

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

Thursday, August 15, 2013, 4:30p.m. YRMC Main Campus, Room 2-3 2400 S. Avenue A, Yuma, AZ 85364

11. Adjourn

Rev. Dr. Darren C. Hawkins, Chair

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Dated this 12th day of July 2013

ARIZONA EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & HEALTH BOARD

YUMA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL

Rudy J. Ortiz, Regional Director